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SUBJECT: WASHINGTON STATE MIDDLE EAST TRADE MISSION,
MARCH 30 - APRIL 22, 1975

1. THE SUBJECT TRADE MISSION WAS ORGANIZED TOO LATE TO
BE CONSIDERED UNDER I.O.G.A. GUIDELINES, HOWEVER, CAREFUL
PLANS HAVE BEEN MADE TO RESTRICT THEIR AREAS OF INTEREST
AND LETTERS HAVE BEEN EXCHANGED BETWEEN PARTICIPANTS AND
CONTACTS AT EACH DESTINATION.

2. THIS MISSION PLANS TO MAKE STOPS IN THE FOLLOWING
COUNTRIES: LONDON-MARCH 31; BEIRUT-MARCH 31 TO APRIL 5,
PHOENICIA HOTEL; TEHRAN-APRIL 5-10, HILTON HOTEL; BAHRAIN
-APRIL 10-13, DELMON; DHAHRAN-APRIL 13-16, AL GOZAIBI;
KUWAIT-APRIL 16-18, SHERATON; CAIRO-APRIL 18-21, NILE
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HILTON HOTEL. THE GROUP WILL LEAVE CAIRO VIA LONDON ON

THEIR RETURN APRIL 21.

3. JOHN BAUCHENS, SENIOR FOREIGN TRADE ANALYST, OFFICE OF
TRADE PROMOTION, DCED, IS THE DIRECTOR FOR THIS MISSION.

4. PLEASE RENDER ANY ASSISTANCE YOU CAN TO THIS GROUP. KISSINGER

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